

REMARKS

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated April 7, 2008.
The Applicant respectfully requests favorable action.

Claims 9-16 and 21-32 are now pending in this Application.

Claims 10-16 have been amended for reasons unrelated to patentability.

Claims 21-32 have been added.

Election/Restriction

At paragraphs 1-3 of the Office Action, the claims were restricted into two
Groups:

Group I: claims 1-8 and 17-20; and

Group II: claims 9-16.

The Applicant elects Group II, directed to claims 9-16, without traverse.

New Claims


The Applicant has added new claims 22-32 to the Application. Such claims are drawn to the subject matter of elected Group II. Accordingly, the Applicant believes these new claims are appropriate for consideration in this Application.

Should the Examiner believe telephonic contact would be helpful in the disposition of this Application, the Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned attorney at (617) 951-2500.

In summary, all the independent claims are believed to be in condition for allowance and therefore all dependent claims that depend there from are believed to be in condition for allowance. The Applicant respectfully solicits favorable action.

Please charge any additional fee occasioned by this paper to our Deposit Account No. 03-1237.

Respectfully submitted,



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